

By Chf Edwards

S B. No. 47

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

relating to speech language pathologists and audiologists employed by public schools.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

SECTION 1. Section 16.056(f), Education Code, is amended to read as follows:

(f) Each person employed in the public schools of this state who is an educational aide, teacher trainee, or nondegree teacher or who is assigned to a position classified under the Texas Public Education Compensation Plan must be certified according to the certification requirements or standards for each position as established by rule adopted by the State Board of Education. However, additional certification may not be required of a person holding a valid state license as a speech language pathologist or audiologist. Persons certified on or after September 1, 1984, ~~[other-than-these-holding-such-a-license]~~ may only be employed to render such services if an acceptable ~~[licensed]~~ applicant holding a professional certificate issued before September 1, 1984, or holding a license is not available.

SECTION 2. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendars in both houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each house be suspended, and this rule is hereby suspended,

1     and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its  
2     passage, and it is so enacted.

# LEGISLATIVE BUDGET BOARD

Austin, Texas

## FISCAL NOTE

January 30, 1985

Honorable Carl A. Parker, Chairman  
Committee on Education  
Senate Chamber  
Austin, Texas

In Re: Senate Bill No. 47  
By: Edwards

Sir:

In response to your request for a Fiscal Note on Senate Bill No. 47 (relating to speech language pathologists and audiologists employed by public schools) this office has determined the following:

The bill would allow school districts to employ a speech language pathologist or audiologist certified on or after September 1, 1984, only if a person holding a professional certificate or license issued prior to that date is not available.

No fiscal implication to the State or units of local government is anticipated.

  
Jim Oliver  
Director

Source: Texas Education Agency;  
LBB Staff: JO, HS, DC, JH, DS

AN ACT relating to speech language pathologists and audiologists employed by public schools.

12-11-84  
**JAN 8 1985**

Filed with the Secretary of the Senate  
Read, referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Reported favorably.

Reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute; Committee Substitute read first time.

Ordered not printed.

Senate and Constitutional Rules to permit consideration suspended by  
{ unanimous consent.  
\_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

To permit consideration, reading and passage, Senate and Constitutional Rules suspended by vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

Read second time and { ordered engrossed.  
passed to third reading.

Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

Senate and Constitutional 3-Day Rules suspended by vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays to place bill on third reading and final passage.

Read third time and passed by { a viva-voce vote.  
\_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

OTHER ACTION:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary of the Senate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Engrossed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sent to House

\_\_\_\_\_  
ENGROSSING CLERK

\_\_\_\_\_  
Received from the Senate

\_\_\_\_\_  
Read first time and referred to Committee on \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Reported favorably amended, sent to Printer at \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed and Distributed \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Sent to Committee on Calendars \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Read Second time (amended): passed to third reading (failed)  
by (Non-Record Vote) Record Vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Present, not voting.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days suspended (failed to suspend) by a four-fifths vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas \_\_\_\_\_ nays \_\_\_\_\_ present not voting.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Read third time (amended); finally passed (failed) by a (Non-Record Vote) Record Vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas \_\_\_\_\_ nays \_\_\_\_\_ present not voting.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Returned to Senate.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chief Clerk of the House